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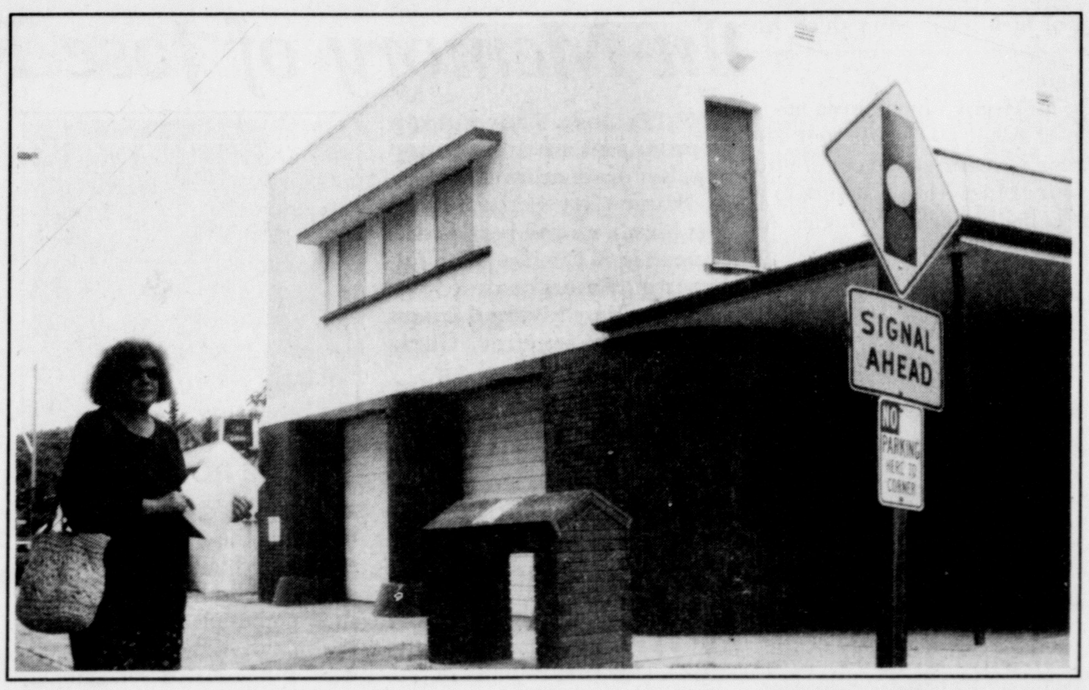
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Firehouse as cafe & museum?

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor



The West Sacramento Historical Society's Lana Paulhamus in front of the now-vacant Washington Firehouse, which was built as a Depression Era 'New Deal' project. *(News-Ledger file photo)*

After sending out a "request for proposals" to 191 area real estate brokers, developers and others, the city's redevelopment agency received only three responses dealing with plans for the reuse of the old Washington Firehouse in West Sacramento.

One of those proposals has been withdrawn, leaving two complementary proposals on the table for the West Sacramento City Council to consider at its meeting tonight.

The West Sacramento Historical Society has proposed a $1 per year lease of the first floor of the Art Deco-style building for use as a local history museum, and a pair of entrepreneurs has proposed a $2,500/year lease of the second floor to open a café. The two proposals support each other, although separately submitted.

A staff report from redevelopment program manager Jon Robinson will ask the council tonight to "enter an 18-month non-exclusive negotiation with the applicants, during which time the applicants could refine and solidify their proposals and staff could try to identify sources of outside funding for the rehabilitation project."

Neither proposed tenant intend to finance major construction improvements at the site – which needs an elevator, bathroom and new electrical and plumbing systems, among other things. These changes are estimated to cost $925,000 – a price not now in the redevelopment agency's budget, either.

Redevelopment agency staff is also concerned whether both tenants would be able to make their projects a success. The historical society, notes the staff report, has no experience running a museum and may not be able to cover the museum's operational costs or provide museum staffing (an estimated 20 hours per week of volunteer time).

The society's Jeri Hughes Wingfield told the *News-Ledger* she is confident can meet both obligations.

"I'm certain we can come up with the volunteer hours for whatever time we need to do it," she said. "Eventually, staffing will be a paid position."

The society will rely largely on a bequest from the estate of one of its co-founders, Virginia Seaman. Seaman left the society her home, which has not yet been converted to cash.

"It is going to make the biggest difference," said Wingfield. "She wanted a museum, and she wanted it to be at her home, but she knew it was a location where the public would not let her have the museum. She died during the time when we were looking at the firehouse."

The society already possesses a number of artifacts of local history, including one that seems

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With Shriners' help, local girl may get priceless gift

By Jeanette Keith
Correspondent



MEGAN MASSMAN

In 1923 the Shriner's opened their first hospital. They intended to provide free orthopedic treatment to children. The hospital was built in San Francisco and called Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children. In 1997, 75 years and 22 hospitals later, the San Francisco hospital relocated to Sacramento and the word "crippled" was dropped from the name. The Sacramento hospital is the only Shriner's hospital to treat not only orthopedics, but also burn and spinal cord injuries. Still providing free medical care to children through the age of 18, the Shriner's are very proud of their newest facility.

Before the hospital opened in Sacramento, Mike and Kathy Massman of West Sacramento drove to San Francisco every six months. Their daughter, Megan, was one of approximately 1500 children seen every month in the Shriner's Out-Patient Clinic.

"We used to have to leave about 5:30 a.m. to make our 8:30 appointment," recalled Mike. "Actually, Kathy took Megan to most of the appointments. It was really great when the new hospital opened here in Sacramento."

Seven year old Megan Massman sits at the table sipping hot chocolate, prepared for her by big brother Matt. Her enormous brown eyes twinkle as she chats with everyone at the table. She is a typical second grader. It is only when Megan walks to the kitchen counter that one notices there is something different about this sweet, petite little girl.

"When Megan was born, I held her and cried, feeling so bad for her and also wondering how we were going to pay for all this," remembers Kathy. "Megan was born with a condition called femoral hypoplasia-unusual facies syndrome. She has a cleft palate and the femur (thigh bone) in her left leg was shorter than the right. This syndrome was first identified by Dr. Donna Daentle, who is now one of Megan's doctors at Shriner's. The cleft palate was repaired by doctors in Sacramento, but a pediatric specialist recommended we take Megan to Shriner's Hospital in San Francisco for the femoral hypoplasia. We were given the name and phone number of a Shriner, Raymond Johnson, who signed Megan's referral forms."

Dr. Preston James, who speaks in a loud and rather rough voice, is now Megan's orthopedic surgeon. When speaking about Dr. James, Megan bursts into a large smile and states, "I love my doctor! Really! He's my friend!" It seems to be a feeling shared by all of Dr. James' young patients.

Last year, Megan entered Shriner's to have surgery to correct the angle of the femur in her right leg.

"After surgery, she was placed in a body cast for six weeks and we were give the option of leaving Megan in the hospital while she was in the cast or taking her home," explains Mike. "Although we decided to take her home, it was nice to be given an option. Most other hospitals are pushing you out the door as soon as possible."

"Megan's next appointment is in a year," said Kathy. "At that time, we will schedule the first of at least two surgeries, done about three years apart, called the Illizarov Procedure, to lengthen Megan's leg. There will also be one more surgery on her hip to correct the angle of her left femur. Dr. James believes Megan's legs will be like any other child's by the time she is 15."

Megan runs and roughhouses and plays like any other seven year old. The difference is that because her left leg is about three inches shorter, she walks and runs on the toe of her left foot.

"We go through shoes pretty fast," said Mike with a smile. "We went to the park the other night and played baseball for awhile. She played T-ball when she was five. The next year she didn't want to sign up because running made her side hurt. Because Megan won't be able to do much for about six months afterwards, we plan to take her and Matt to the mountains for a week's vacation before her next surgery."

And how does Megan feel about the upcoming surgeries?

"I'm fine with it," she said, flashing another one of her confident smiles.

To learn more about Shriner's Hospitals for Children, call 1-916-453-2000.

Vandals leave costly mess at RCHS

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

The weekend before last, River City High school was vandalized twice within a three-day period by what is believed to be the same individual or individuals.

"Whoever it was," said Jon West, River City High School's athletic director, "they were definitely familiar with the gymnasium, where most of the vandalism took place. And not only did they strike once, late on a Friday night, but they apparently came back the next Sunday and did even more damage."

Among the items stolen from the gymnasium were four large speakers, valued at more than $1,000 each. All four had been secured in their own corner high up on the walls of the gymnasium and the vandals would have had to use ladders and metal cutters to reach them. The speakers are used at athletic events, rallies and school dances and a number of students were very upset. A senior at the high school who didn't want her name used said, "How stupid does somebody have to be to do something like this? We use those speakers all the time and the school district probably doesn't have the money to re-

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Planners let design standard keep standing

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The West Sacramento Planning Commission denied an appeal by developer David Stroud and the Bridgeway Island subdivision last week that would have eased design standards for the frontage of new homes in Southport. Current design standards limit the amount of a home's front which can be made up of a garage, and require most homes to either set the garage back several feet or else ensure that most of the home's face be made up of "living area."

Bridgeway Island argued that a courtyard added in front of a garage should count as "living area." The commission disagreed, with a 6-0 vote. Agreeing with Bridgeway Island could have helped builders come up with home designs that worked on narrow, 45-foot lots in the subdivision, but also could have led to aesthetic changes in other future neighborhoods.

"The commission denied the appeal, but expressed interest in doing a workshop on different architectural approaches to strengthen the design standards," said Rebecca Van Buren, a senior planner for the city. "The commission made it very clear they are not interested in eroding the guidelines, they are interested in making the guidelines better."

City may not have to 'fix' Tower Ct. property

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

A deal to trade a city-owned parcel on Tower Court for a privately-held property near West Capitol and Merkley avenues fell apart last month, ending West Sacramento's plans to build a civic center on the West Capitol property. The agreement involving local developer Frank Ramos and Ramco Enterprises fell apart due to uncertainty about the extent of soil contamination – including the presence of excess amounts of lead – at the city's property.

Ramco hesitated to acquire the property without the city's agreement to pick up the tab on cleaning up the Tower Ct. site, and the city council ultimately declined.

The *News-Ledger* asked Assistant City Manager Carol Richardson why, if the property is to be ultimately developed anyway, the city did not simply accept the cleanup costs and proceed with the city hall site swap.

"If we end up paving over it, the contamination wouldn't be an issue," she said. "If we build a parking lot, it's not an issue."

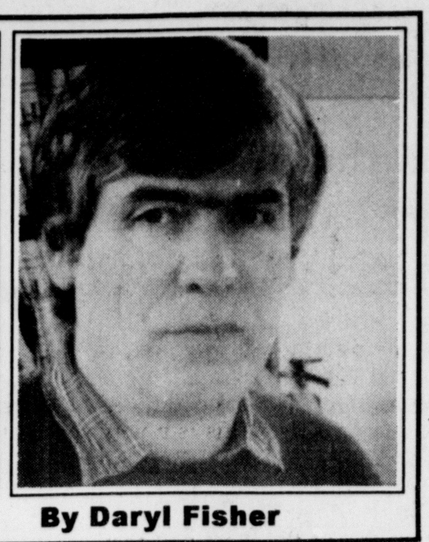
The contamination might only be a problem if the property is developed in a more intensive way, such as the way Ramco hoped to develop it, Richardson added.

And, she reported, any contamination at the site isn't a health threat.

"We don't believe the site is contaminated to a level that threatens anyone," Richardson stated. "We had done some cleanup and testing. Then we did some additional testing and found an additional 'hot spot' for lead. Ramco's concern was if they went to build a building and did some excavation, the dirt might have some lead in it (requiring remediation)."

A birthday remembered

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

Nineteen year old Michael Lawhon arrived in Phu Loi, Vietnam in early August of 1969. He was assigned to Delta Troop's Alpha Squad, of which I was a member, and no one was more happy to see him than me.

At that time, unwritten standard operating procedure in the First Infantry Division required new guys to walk their squad's point position, a job which I had been reluctantly performing since my arrival in mid-July.

Search and destroy missions in Vietnam were organized in such a way that often made ambushes almost impossible to avoid, and being a squad pointman was a dangerous task which no one wanted to do a day longer than required. Veteran soldiers in general, and short-timers in particular, wanted no part of walking point, and for better or worse, the new guys always got stuck with that difficult and hazardous job.

Shortly after our squad leader had informed Michael that the pointman job was now his, he strolled into my hootch and introduced himself. He wanted to know just what a pointman was required to do, and if it was really as dangerous as everyone had been telling him. We sat down on my bunk and began to talk. Two or three hours later, we were still talking, and I felt like I had made a much needed new friend in Vietnam.

Michael was a couple of years younger than me, blond, blue-eyed, and disarmingly shy. He was from a small town in the Midwest and he talked nostalgically about growing up in rural America. He was very attached to his family and concerned that they were worrying about him too much.

I told him what little I had been able to learn about walking point, including how the Vietcong usually marked their booby-traps with three rocks, or three knots in a nearby vine, or three of something, and how important it was to stay off trails and rice paddy mounds. I also told him his ears would probably be even more valuable to him than his eyes.

"So, there's a lot of luck involved in this?" he asked me.

"I'm afraid so," I said.

"Well, I'm a really lucky guy," he assured me.

On the afternoon of August 11, 1969, our 28-man aero-rifle platoon was scrambled out of Phu Loi and flown on four transport helicopters to a sector of what was called the Iron Triangle. As we arrived on station, we could see red smoke from a number of popped grenades, which marked suspected enemy positions, slowly filtering its way up through the double canopy jungle. We landed about a half-mile away, and with Michael and Alpha Squad leading the way, we began a cautious approach to what our ground commanding officer told us was probably an enemy base camp.

We had completed an exhausting mission earlier that morning and everyone was tired and unenthusiastic about starting a second mission so late in the day. Our major, however, who was flying high above our position in a command helicopter, had been informed by a hunter-killer helicopter team that enemy dead had been confirmed just in front of us and he wanted those bodies identified, counted and searched.

Michael quickly discovered one dead Vietcong and after Headquarter's Squad moved to the front and examined the body, our major ordered the platoon to move forward in search of others.

A number of veteran soldiers later told me they were sure we were walking right into an ambush, but I was almost as new to ground combat as Michael and I don't think either one of us had the foggiest idea of what was about to happen next.

I had Michael in view when the first shots rang out, but I lost sight of him when I dove for the safety of the earth. All was suddenly chaos, with some people screaming orders and others screaming in pain. No one seemed to know exactly where the enemy fire was coming from. The deafening sound of automatic weapons fire and grenade explosions seemed like it was all around us. Then, just as suddenly as it had all begun, it ended.

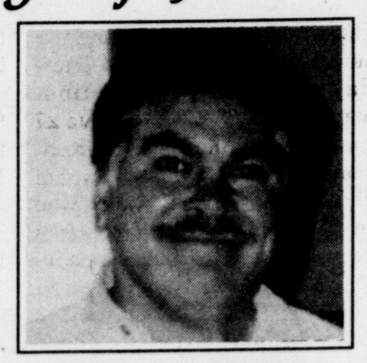
The whole platoon stayed hunkered down until radio communication had been re-established between all the squads. The major then radioed down that he wanted us to gather up our dead and wounded and return as quickly as possible to the landing zone for extraction.

I heard it first over the radio I was carrying. The platoon had suffered at least five casualties -- two dead. And Michael Lawhon was one of the confirmed dead.

I have often heard, and I have come to believe, that if the people who have touched our lives are remembered, then they never really die. Michael Lawhon would have been 50 years old this spring.

In Memory of Jose Rodriguez

NOTE: Jose Rodriguez, a popular and much respected teacher and administrator at River City High School lost his six month battle with cancer last Friday. The following remembrance was submitted by his good friend and fellow teacher, Chris Baker.



JOSE RODRIGUEZ

Jose was many things to many people. He touched the lives of students and colleagues in a profound way. He was a bear of a man, yet soft-spoken and unassuming. He had a clear understanding of himself and a wonderful sense of humor. I can't tell you how many times his counsel cleared muddy waters for me, both professionally and personally.

More than anything, Jose was an idealist. He was a true believer in the public education system and felt that it was our students' best hope for realizing their potential. He held teaching in the highest regard and was a wonderful role model. There are many things wrong with education today, but Jose Rodriguez was not one of them.

My memories of Jose are that of loyal friend and confidant. An educator whose standards could be used as a benchmark for the teaching profession, and a man who cherished his family, loved his work, and made the world a better place because he was in it.

Funeral services for Jose will be held on Saturday, March 4th, at 10:00 a.m. at South East Lawn, 9189 E. Stockton Boulevard in Elk Grove. Viewings will be on Wednesday, March 1st, from 4-8 p.m., and on Thursday, March 2nd, from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. A Rosary will be said on Thursday, March 2nd at 6:00 p.m. by Pastor Bruce Marcie.

What's new at the library

The following new books have arrived at the Arthur F. Turner Library:

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"The Rookie Manager: A Guide to Surviving Your First Year in Management" by Joseph T. Straub.

"The Universe, the Eleventh Dimension, and Everything: What We Know and How We Know It" by Richard Morris.

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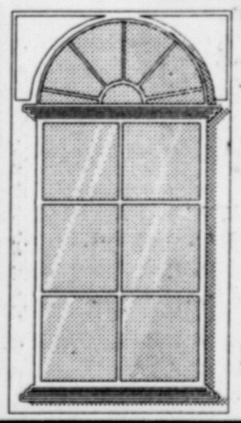


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SPORTS

Weather slows stadium construction, delays opener

Foul winter weather has forced West Sacramento's new Triple-A professional baseball team, the Sacramento River Cats, to push back their Opening Day to May 15th. Raley Field, which will seat 11,000 baseball fans when completed, had been scheduled to open on April 18th with the River Cats playing the Calgary Cannons, but that three-game series will now be played at the Oakland Coliseum.

The failure to complete Raley Field on time will also force a number of other changes in the River Cats schedule, including a season opening 36 game, 39-day road trip and playing 24 games at home in the month of August.

Season ticket holders, of which there are now approximately 6,000, will have a number of options, including exchanging their tickets for a full refund or crediting them towards next season.

According to the Sacramento Bee, River Cats owner Art Savage said, "We could have rushed things and opened on the 18th, but we want it done correctly. This is a very special thing for Sacramento."

While Raley Field is being completed, the River Cats will spend more than a month traveling throughout the West and they are scheduled to play the following teams:

Fresno Grizzlies (April 6-9)
Tacoma Rainiers (April 10-13)
Salt Lake Buzz (April 14-17)
Calgary Cannons (in Oakland) April 18-20)
Salt Lake Buzz (April 222-26)
Albuquerque Dukes (April 27-30)
Colorado Springs Sky Fox (May 2-5)
Fresno Grizzlies (May 6-9)
Tacoma Rainiers (May 11-14)

Sports Insider

By Richard Novoa

The Sacramento Kings (31-24) continue their slide in the Western Conference bid for a playoff spot. The Kings blew a 16-point lead last Saturday in Vancouver in losing to the Grizzlies 102-90. The Kings now have lost four straight, six of seven since the All-Star break and 10 of their past 14 games! Ouch! It's time for coach Adelman to circle the wagons and direct his players to focus on playing better defense. Last season worst skid was four games! Look for the Kings to turn it around starting on Tuesday night at home against Vancouver. The Kings have 27 game remaining and 14 are at home in the friendly confines of the Arco Arena. The Kings, who are 11-18 away from Arco, need to pick up a few wins on the road if they plan on making the post season. The Kings face the Rockets in Houston (5:30) on Thursday and then travel to San Antonio to play the Spurs on Saturday in another NBC-TV (3:00) game. Can the Kings break that NBC-TV jinks?

The 49ers jumped the gun before the April 15th College draft by trading their No. 3 pick to the Redskins for the rights to their 12th and 24th first round picks. The Redskins, who also own the rights to the second pick, threw in a 4th and 5th round selection to give the Niners 10 picks in this year's draft. I predicted the 49ers would trade their highest draft pick in 20 years but I thought they would at least wait until draft day! 49ers general manager Bill Walsh must have something else cooking!

The San Francisco Giants ticket sales office pulled off a nice ticket fiasco last week. It seems the Giants were offering their season ticket holders the opportunity to purchase extra single game tickets via the Internet.

This year the Giants season ticket holders grew from 12,000 to 29,000 for there new 40,800-seat $319 million Pacific Bell Park. The Internet was so overloaded with ticket requests that the sales office staff provided season ticket holders with a password that would by-pass the system and allows the purchase of tickets with no restrictions. Which means no ticket limit! The word quickly spread to the ticket brokers, scalpers, and other Giants fans and by the end of the day all the weekend games were sold-out including all Dodgers games. A total of 2.91 million tickets have been sold for the season and 51 of the team's 81 regular-season games are sold-out!

That's good news for our local Triple AAA baseball team. The River Cats will be the only game in town but fans will have to wait for another month for the home opener. The rain has delayed the construction crews and it looks like the April 18th opening day will be pushed back to Monday, May 15th. Its baseball season and the Giants exhibition season starts on Friday against the Padres, while Oakland A's open the Cactus League on Thursday against Milwaukee.

Boxing fans enjoyed another victory by Oscar De La Hoya last Saturday in Las Vegas. De La Hoya scored a 7th round KO over Derrell Coley in their welterweight fight. Oscar, who lost his WBC crown to Felix Trinidad, won Coley's IBA title, what ever that is! Boxing returns to Feather Falls Casino in Orville on Friday, March 3rd featuring a women bout between boxing great Bobo Olsen's granddaughter Eliza and Debbie Foster (1-0) of Bakersfield. Eliza Olsen will be making her professional debut in a four round preliminary. Good news for Michael Simms Jr. and his Sacramento boxing fans! Simms won six consecutive bouts to make the U.S. Olympic boxing team. Simms, a 25-year-old champion, beat Olympic Trials champion Olanda Anderson for a second time in 24 hours to win the 178-pound division.

Congratulations Michael! Bring home the Gold!!

See ya next week!!

Sports Quiz
by Chris Richcreek

1. Entering this season, who was the last major-league player to hit a home run in his first at-bat?
2. True or false: Rickey Henderson has never won an American League Most Valuable Player Award.
3. What NFL team has appeared in the most postseason games?
4. Who are the only three-time winners of the Naismith Award in men's college basketball?
5. What school has made the most appearances in the NCAA Division I hockey tournament?
6. Whom did Lennox Lewis lose the WBC heavyweight title to in 1994?
7. Who holds the all-time LPGA record for golf tournaments won?

RCHS tennis team shears the Rams

From River City High School

The opening match of River City High School's 2000 tennis season was delayed a day by rain, but the visiting Dixon Rams probably wished the match had been cancelled altogether. The host Raiders shut out Dixon 8 to 0 in an impressive debut last Wednesday afternoon. River City won all four varsity doubles matches by identical 10-0 scores. The "bagels" were posted by the teams of seniors Casey Insixiengmay and Andy Amphonephong at #1 boys doubles, sophomores Sokhear Touch and Marith Khem at #2 boys doubles in their first varsity match, Erin Cheechov and Keonakone Lattasima at #1 girls doubles, and Ka Yang and Khounthavy Montry at #2 girls doubles. In the four singles matches against the Rams, seniors Prak Pich and Sisavat Phouanglasy won on the boys side and senior Khonesavanh Lattasima and junior Sokpin Phoung did the same in the girls matches.

On Thursday, the Raiders travelled to Natomas and defeated the host Nighthawks of the Capital Valley Conference 5 to 2. Amphonephong (3-6, 4-6 at #1) and Phouanglasly (5-7, 3-6 at #2) lost in boys singles, but their teammates swept the two girls singles contests and all three doubles matches. Khonesavanh Lattasima struggled early, falling behind 4-6, 4-5, but fought back to take the second and third sets in the top girls singles match. Phoung cruised at #2, 6-1, 6-2. In the doubles matches, Cheechov and Keonakone Lattasima did not give up a single game, winning 6-0, 6-0, Yang and Touch won easily in mixed 6-1, 6-2, and Insixiengmay teamed with sophomore rookie Viengkham Amphoneghong for a 7-5, 6-4 boys doubles victory.

River City earned another road win on Friday, downing Argonaut of the Mother Lode League 6 to 1 up in Jackson. The Raiders encountered a somewhat depleted Mustang squad as the hosts were missing two key boys who were still involved in the basketball playoffs. Nevertheless, River City focussed in on the task at hand and dropped only the mixed doubles match.

The trio of triumphs continued some amazing Raider winning streaks as River City has now won 27 straight regular season, non-league matches on the road (last lost at Vanden, 4-11-95) and an incredible 43 consecutive away matches overall (last lost at Colfax, 3-21-96). The road records will be severely tested this week at Central Catholic of Modesto, the only team to beat the Raiders in the regular season in 1999, and at Calaveras. In addition, Livingston visits West Sacramento on Friday for a 3:15 p.m. match. The Wolves knocked the Raiders out of the Sac-Joaquin Section playoffs in the semifinals last season.

2000 River City Varsity Baseball Schedule

Date:	Opponent:	Time:	Location:
Feb. 28	Roseville	3:30	RCHS
Feb. 29	San Juan	3:30	San Juan
Mar. 03	Napa	3:30	Napa
Mar. 08	Sac High	3:30	RCHS
Mar. 14	Lindhurst	3:30	RCHS
Mar. 16	Lincoln	3:30	RCHS
Mar. 21	Golden Sierra	3:30	RCHS
Mar. 23	Colfax	3:30	Colfax
Mar. 28	Mesa Verde	3:30	Mesa Verde
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By Daryl Fisher
Advertising Director



Denise Stevens, the owner of West Sacramento's wonderfully fragrant *Forever Yours* flower shop, which is located a couple of doors down from Round Table Pizza in Jefferson Square, didn't get into the flower business until after she had already put in 29 years working for the State of California.

"I was a personnel manager with the State for many years," said Denise, "and although I enjoyed that kind of work, the flower business has turned out to be much more rewarding on a number of different levels. The best part, of course, is the personal contact I get to have with so many nice people on a daily basis. There's a lot of joy in helping others, and now my work allows me to do that all the time."

Denise grew up in Lincoln, California, and she really enjoyed the small-town atmosphere of her youth.

"That's one of the things which really attracted me to West Sacramento," said Denise. "Although it's not as rural as where I grew up, West Sac still has that special kind of friendliness you find in most small towns, you know, where everyone seems to know and care about each other. Plus it's also turned out to be a great place for my business, too."

Denise first got interested in the world of flowers when she opened up a little shop on some property she owned in Lincoln.

"Then one day I finally decided I might as well give the retail side of the business my full attention," recalled Denise, "and I went out of state to study how to properly freeze-dry flowers. Shortly after that, I purchased a $34,000 machine that flash-freezes flowers and then slowly takes all the moisture out of them over the course of about three weeks. Before I knew it, I was in the flower business full-time and having the time of my life."

Forever Yours has been at its present location for a little over two years and it has slowly evolved into a full-service flower shop.

"We can meet any fresh flower need a customer might have now," explained Denise. "We of course specialize in floral wedding and funeral arrangements, but we do proms and all the other special occasions where flowers play a part, too. We also have quite a few gifts for sale, including a full line of candles, angels, and stuffed bears."

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>
> DENISE STEVENS
> of 'Forever Yours'

Denise is ably assisted at *Forever Yours* by friend and co-worker Cindy Ogata, who still has a full-time job at the State of California, but helps out after work and on weekends, and by Lupe Viramontes, who does most of the home and business deliveries.

"I think one of the many rewards I get from working here is that the flower business isn't as stressful as my other job," said Cindy. "Plus Denise is trying very hard to keep *Forever Yours* a place where customers can get really good service and also enjoy themselves while they're here. There's a special feeling that comes from being able to give the customer exactly what he or she is looking for, and that happens a lot around here."

"The people of West Sacramento have been so supportive," said Denise, "and *Forever Yours* now has a very loyal cliental which is always growing. I've found that the key to everything is a sincere dedication to customer service and I want everyone out there to know that whatever their floral need might be, *Forever Yours* will do everything we possibly can to meet it."

Denise belongs to the International Freeze Dry Floral Association and has all the equipment necessary at *Forever Yours* to freeze-dry individual flowers or arrangements of flowers, giving their owners years more of use and enjoyment.

When Denise is away from *Forever Yours*, which is not very often, she enjoys spending time with Eagle Hawk, a retired Morgan show horse that she has been taking care of for the past 18 years.

"There's nothing more relaxing than spending time with Eagle Hawk," said Denise. "He's a sweetheart."

Denise has one son, Mark Heer, who is 25 years old and manages a landscaping company. Mark and his girlfriend, Sally Canady, also work from time to time at the shop and have both been very helpful in making *Forever Yours* the business Denise always dreamed it would be.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 3, 2000
File No. 2000-90

The following person is doing business as SIERRA THERMO KING, 855 Stillwater Rd., Sacramento CA 94577:

Sierra Detroit Diesel Allison, Inc., incorp. in the State of Nevada.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/3/99.

/s/Lawrence E. Wilson
Vice President
Sierra Detroit Diesel Allison, Inc.

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Date: Feb. 4, 2000
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb. 3, 2000
File No. 2000-91

The following person is doing business as Intermountain Slurry Seal, 525 W. Beach Street, Watsonville, CA 95076:

ISS, Inc., P.O. Box 50085, Watsonville, CA 95077-5085, incorp. in Wyoming.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/10/95.

/s/Michael L. Thomas
President
ISS, Inc.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan. 31, 2000
File No. 2000-80

The following person is doing business as Process Constructors, 3940 Industrial Blvd., Suite 100-D, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Earl Construction Company (California Domestic corporation), same address.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/29/99.

/s/J. Doug Pruitt
Chief Executive Officer
Earl Construction Company

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 19, 2000
File No. 2000-48

The following person is doing business as The Mecca Club, 701 Sunset Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95605:

Sandra Dee Nelm, 417 Westacre Rd. #4, West Sacramento CA 95691.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan 19 '00

/s/Sandra Dee Nelms
Owner Operator

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by: /s/Victoria Barnes, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 7, 2000
File No. 0097

The following person is doing business as Murphy Construction, 2319 Cezanne Court, Davis CA 95616:

Timothy Joseph Murphy and Cynthia Kay Murphy, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/7/00.

/s/Cynthia K. Murphy

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Date: Feb 7, 2000
by: /s/Linda Smith, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 31, 2000
File No. 2000-72

The following person is doing business as J L Landscape Materials, 3222 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Jerry Lambirth, 1032 Meadow Rd., West Sacramento, CA 95691; Dennis Copenhaver, 5301 14th Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95820.

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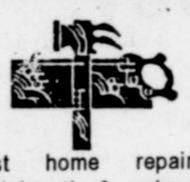
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under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/1/00.
/s/Jerry Lambirth
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 14 2000
File No. 2000-123
The following person is doing business Landmark Commercial Properties, 732 Fairview Dr., Woodland, CA 95695:
Stephen A. Machado, same address.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/14/00.
/s/Stephen A. Machado
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 22, 2000
File No. 2000-144
The following person is doing business as Days Inn, 1524 E. Main St., Woodland CA 95776:
Arvind Patel, Jayesh Patel and Bhupendra Patel, same address as above.
This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/10/95. Previous fictitious business name number 95-102.
/s/Arvind Patel
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by: /s/Josie Ramirez, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 15, 2000
File No. 99-127
The following person is doing business as Bizzybezz, 436 Colusa Pl., Woodland CA 95695:
Rick L. Bonin and Melissa K. Bonin, same address as above.
This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/11/00.
/s/Rick L. Bonin
Melissa K. Bonin
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC LIEN SALE
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, in accordance with provisions of Section 21700 et seq of the Business & Profession Code of the State of California, of public sale of the contents of the storage spaces named below, which consists of misc. personal property, household, garage, office furn., yard, household items, vehicles, trailers, to satisfy a landlord lien. Complete terms and inspection prior to sale which will be held on the 14th day of March in the County of Yolo, State of California at 2600 Evergreen Ave., West Sacramento, California 95691 at 9:00 a.m.
B 5/7 Oren Otten & Opal Forgeur; C42 Steven Markell; C79 Martin Hogue; D 12/13 Dawn Olson; D42 Danielle Mason; F86/87 Charlene Clark; F88/89 Audrey Cowings; H16 Juanita F. Bonton; H28 Karen L. Markell/Vincent Belton; J80/81 Wayne V. Walten.
Bob Kolak Auction Service Lic.
A-468, Feb 23 Mar 1

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 18, 2000
File No. 2000-142
The following person is doing business as Eve's Automotive, 2707 Brentwood Pl., Davis CA 95616:
James George, same address.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/18/00.
/s/James George
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec. 15, 1999
File No. 99-841
The following person is doing business as 1) GrandRound Consulting; 2) iRounds; 3) James Lawrence, 200 4H Solano Park Circle, Davis CA 95616:
Dr. Jie Zhou and Dr. Xuqiong Wu, same address as above.
This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on October 18, 1999.
/s/Jie Zhou, Managing Partner and Xuqiong Wu
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by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb. 16, 2000
File No. 2000-133
The following person is doing business as Tender Loving Care, 1401 Halyard Drive, Suite 120, West Sacramento CA 95691:
Staff Builders Services, Inc., a Delaware corporation, 1983 Marcus Avenue, Lake Success, NY 11042.
This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on n/a.
/s/Renee J. Silver, Vice President Staff Builders Services
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File No. 2000-102
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
The following person(s) is/are doing business as: ALBERTSONS, 6565 Knott Avenue, Buena Park, CA 90620
Lucky Stores, Inc., A Delaware Corporation, 250 Parkcenter Blvd., Boise, Idaho 83706
This business is conducted by a corporation.
The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on November 3, 1999.
SIGNED: LUCKY STORES, INC., By: Julie Backe, Asst. Sec.
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on February 8, 2000.
NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the Office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 17900 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
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Loan: 0336-5723-0210207 Other: 9054286 File: 99-5965 A.P. Number 046304071 Notice Of Trustee's Sale Under Deed Of Trust YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED December 21, 1995, UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. Notice is hereby given that RONALD D. ROUP, A LAW CORPORATION, as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Mark A. Jarvis, an unmarried man and Peggy Chan-Law, an unmarried woman Recorded on 12/29/1995 as Instrument No. 95-0029196-00 in Book Page of Official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 10/22/1999 in Book, Page, as Instrument No. 32758 of said Official Records, Will Sell on 03/08/2000 at On the main steps of the County Courthouse 725 Court Street Woodland, CA at 3:00 P.M. At public auction to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: As more fully described on said Deed of Trust. The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2964 Carmel Court, West Sacramento, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: $279,016.92. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. Dated: 02/09/2000 RONALD D. ROUP, A LAW CORPORATION, as said Trustee 23101 Lake Center Drive,, Suite # 320 Lake Forest, Ca 92630 (949)472-2366/Sale info: (714)285-9962 By: Les J. Popplit Trustee Sale Officer QPP 39509 2/16, 2/23, 3/1/00

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF YOLO
In the Matter of JOSHUA MARTIN NORTH, Minor.
No. JR-99-00015
CITATION
TO: All persons claiming to be the father of the minor.
YOU ARE HEREBY CITED AND REQUIRED TO APPEAR at a hearing in Yolo County Juvenile Court, located at 725 Court Street, Department 7, Woodland, California 95695, on March 22, 2000, at 1:30 p.m. o'clock. At the hearing, the Court will decide whether to permanently terminate your parental rights over the above-named minor child born to Tamara Ann North on January 7, 1999. If you wish to be represented by an attorney and are unable to afford one, the Court will appoint an attorney to represent you.
Dated: Jan 28, 2000
THOMAS E. WARRINER
JUDGE OF THE JUVENILE COURT
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 13, 2000
File No. 2000-28
The following person is doing business Central Control Systems, 824 California St., Woodland, CA 95695:
Philip Donald Giebel and Marjorie Kay Giebel, same address as above.
This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-13-00.
/s/Philip D. & Marjorie K. Giebel
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jan 13, 2000
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Dep. Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 25, 2000
File No. 2000-062
The following person is doing business as Palletmasters, 104 Matmor Road, Woodland, CA 95776:
Recycling Solutions, Inc., a California corp., 104 Matmor Road, Woodland, CA 95776.
This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-7-2000.
/s/Kimberly Jacobsen
Recycling Solutions, Inc.
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jan 25, 2000
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Dep. Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 28, 2000
File No. 2000-68
The following person is doing business as In Good Hands Physical Therapy, 228 B Street, Davis, CA 95616:
Liza Katz, 904 F Street, Davis, CA 95616.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan 28, 2000.
/s/Liza Katz
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jan 28, 2000
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jan 19, 2000
File No. 2000-51
The following person is doing business as Ludovina Motors, 757 East St., Woodland CA 95776:
Daniel Thomas Ludovina, 1719 Quincy Dr., Woodland CA 95695.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 01-19-2000.
/s/Daniel Thomas Ludovina
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jan 19, 2000
by: /s/Vickie L. Watkins, Dep. Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec 22, 1999
File No. 99-865
The following person is doing business as JOEBOB'S AUTO AND TRUCK REPAIR, 4530 Construction, Inc., 102 Wolfskill St., Winters, CA 95694:
K.O. Construction, Inc., 1-2 Wolfskill St., Winters, CA 95694;
Joe and Karen Ogando, same address.
This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .
/s/Karen Ogando
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Dec 23 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Dep. Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec 30, 1999
File No. 99-882
The following person is doing business as Summershade, 1612 Fernwood St., W. Sacto., CA 95691:
Michael Summers, same address.
This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on . Previous fictitious business name number 94-424.
/s/Michael Summers
I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.
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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Dec 30, 1999
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Local Items

The Sacramento River registered 7 feet 10 inches, U. S. gauge at the S. P. bridge, yesterday.

A week or two ago influenza had practically died out in Washington, leaving all its victims convalescent, but has again evidently made its appearance with the increase of the epidemic in Sacramento. There is a possibility that both Sacramento and San Francisco may be forced to return to the mask, in order to effectually combat the disease and if so, it will be necessary for the people of Washington to take similar action.

A baby girl was born last Saturday, December 7th, to Mrs. C. A. Kiff at her home on Second street. This makes the second daughter in the family and at birth weighed nine pounds. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Peterson are both confined to their home with influenza. In neither case is there considered serious complications.

Mrs. S. A. Casselman was taken to a hospital in Sacramento Thursday, suffering severely with an affliction of the heart. Her physicians believe that her case is not a serious one and that she will be able to return to her home soon.

Word received from Tom Eddy is to the effect that he is now on board the U. S. S. Wabash on his way to France, expecting to land there today, Friday, December 13th. In all probability the Wabash is convoying President Wilson, so that Tommie Eddy will have the opportunity of his life to witness the reception tendered to the representatives of the Unitd States. Eddy has been promoted several times since he entered the navy. At last account he was Gun Captain and sharpshooter. He is now wearing two stripes on his sleeve, indicating further promotion. He enlisted for four years.

Miss Marie Peterson is confined to her home since last Wednesday with a case of Influenza.

Miss Ivy Kiefman is at her home suffering with a serious case of the dread epidemic. Reports from her home last evening indicate she is improving.

Wm Parks is spending the winter in Washington again this year, after having been engaged during several months in lumbering at Lamoine. This is customary with him and many old friends are glad to see him around town.

An unidentified individual with a load of bug-juice on board crossed from Sacramento last Wednesday night near midnight and amused himself by shooting off a big .44 revolver. The echoing sounds reverberated up and down stream with great ferocity and Pete Van Olinda succeeded in taking away the shooting irons without trouble. He is reported to be around town yet but will surely wind up in the calaboose, if he comes this way again.

Tom Sullivan is another visitor from Lamoine, spending a few days with friends in this locality.

"Bill" Campbell is visiting his old haunts in Washington once more. Comng down from Knights Landing, a dry locality, "Bill" imbibes of the rejuvenating liberality that is loose in the atmosphere in Washington and every inhalation adds fresh vigor to his accumulated age. He is young like a "two-year-old," as he says himself and is full of ginger, not the ginger they sell in Knights Landing as a substitute for good whiskey. Campbell says that the county officers caught on to the idea of vanilla extract in Knights Landing and placed a ban on its sale. As a consequence the men in that locality are using prune juice and are getting fat on the substitute. Last fall, Campbell was a candidate for Supervisor in his district but failed to qualify because he was unable to secure sufficient signatures to his petition.

C. V. Reynolds, who has been around town during the past ten days is about to return to Vallejo to resume his position at the Mare Island ship building plant. Reynolds followed that profession during many years in this locality and is considered one of the most proficient workmen in his line.

Mrs. R. Grady spent several days of the past week visiting with her mother and taking care of her father, Wm. Woods, who was seriously ill with heart trouble.

Judge Barry filed his official bond at the court house in Woodland yesterday to perform the duties of Justice of the Peace for Washington Township during the coming year.

Word received from Jerome Barry, Jr., who is now in New York, is to the effect that on December 15th he will sail for Europe. He has been promoted to the position of first-class carpenter.

The will of the late John A. Soule has been filed for probate in Woodland by Mrs. J. Lindsay. The provisions of the will allow Mrs. Lottie Brisbin of Napa, $5; Mrs. J. Lindsay, $200; the balance of the estate to be divided equally between Mrs. Lindsay, C. C. Soule and John G. Soule. The estimated value of the estate is about $3,000.

Red Cross pledges are rather slow in maturing and members of the local chapter are working earnestly to get them completed before the end of the year. From this date on, one of the Red Cross workers will be at the postoffice from one to three to take up these pledges. Following the S. P. pay-car two members will be at the postoffice on December 14th and 16th.

LADY RESIDENT OF WASHINGTON FOR 20 YEARS AT REST

Last Friday, December 6th, Mrs. Lena Reynolds died at the White Hospital in Sacramento after a sickness lasting over a period of several weeks during which she was afflicted with heart disease.

Last Monday her funeral took place at East Lawn, where the remains were cremated with many relatives and friends present to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Roynolds was an estimable lady who had made her home in Washington for over twenty years but who had been living in Vallejo during the past six months.

She was particularly attentive to her home, always caring for it first and seldom or never interfering in the affairs of neighbors or relatives.

She belonged to no particular church but seldom failed to attend some place of worship on every Sunday of the year.

She will be mourned by hundreds of friends in Washington who learned to love her for her good qualities of womanhood, and although she left no children, she was a favorite with every child in her neighborhood.

Mrs. Reynolds is survived by her husband, C. V. Reynolds, a ship builder, who will likely make his future home in Washington.

WILLARD PANKOST A BENEDICT

On December 1st, in Oakland, Willard Pankost was married to Miss Lola Strader, a former resident of Sacramento and an estimable young lady with many splendid qualifications.

During the past fourteen months, Pankost has been a member of Uncle Sam's Navy, first being located in New York State and lately in San Francisco. He is a son of S. P. Pankost of Washington and was born and raised in this locality.

Home on a month's furlough the young couple decided to wed and on December 1st proceeded to accomplish their plan.

In a few days Willard expects to be honorably discharged from the navy, after which the young couple will make their permanent home in Washington.

BUCKINGHAM WILL HAVE CABINET OF OFFICIAL ADVISORS

On the first Monday in January, Henry Buckingham will officially take over the position of Constable of Washington Township to which he was elected at the primaries, on August 27th.

He has already filed his bond and has surrounded himself with a number of volunteers who propose to help him in the official conduct of the office.

Washington being the only wet section of Yolo County there are few arrests for blind-pigging, immorality and other such despicable crimes, hence he does not expect a strenuous life in his new position.

But those volunteers who propose to help him have formed themselves into a cabinet, so that Buckingham may be fully advised as to what steps he should take in each and every particular.

To these positions "Nig" Newell has been elected bailiff; Pete Van Olinda, desk sergeant, and Dave Crowe, city detective.

One of the strenuous rules of the volunteers is that court must be called at 10 a. m. every morning when necessary and that any one of the cabinet late at the hour of opening must pay for soda for the crowd.

It is possible that the cabinet will be extended to include some other notable characters about town later on.

VIRULENT DIPHTHERIA CAUSED DEATH OF BARNEY BARBERO

Last Friday Barney Barbero died at the Caffero home on Third street, following a few days of illness, during which he was seriously afflicted with what is generally known as "black" diphtheria.

Owing to the virulent character of the disease, friends were not permitted to view his remains and every precaution was taken by the health officers to prevent contagion.

Barbero had been a resident of Washington for several years until about six months ago when he went to San Francisco to work in the Union Iron Works. Desiring to spend Thanksgiving with old friends, he came to Washington for a few days, where he was taken down.

He was a member of the Volunteer Fire Department, a popular young fellow, and his death is regretted by hundreds of intimate friends and young men about town.

It is reported that the Kaiser did not want war but that he was forced into it by the militarists of Germany.

If he were only given a chance to mend his ways, the experience he learned might be of great benefit to him.

Yolo Independent is the home paper for 4,000 people.

TOWN FLAG NOT SHOWN FOR CHARLIE MAINS

The first young man from Washington to lose his life in actual conflict in the great European struggle has been neglected in the fact that since his death was announced the flag on the Town Hall has not been placed at half-mast nor even has it been shown on the flag-staff of the building.

Neither has the service flag of the town been shown in its accustomed place since the announcement of Mains' death was made.

Many of the young men around town who knew Mains well and who knew how sincerely he endeavored to do his share for his country, regret that this mark of respect has been lacking in his particular case when on previous occasions a great display was made for the other young men of the town who gave all they had but were not actually engaged in the conflict.

The Town Hall flag has caused considerable bickering.

It is now in the possession of Mrs. Wm. Wilson, into whose custody it was given by the Improvement Club several months ago, but who received instructions at that time to turn it over to the trustees of the Fire Department on demand.

Evidently there is a case of neglect here that should be followed up, for the trustees claim they are too anxious to secure the flag for the display necessary.

Citizens around town yesterday voluntarily offered to purchase a new flag for the Town Hall, if the Improvement Club emblem cannot be secured for display.

HOWARD H. LEE HAS PURCHASED CONRAD'S STORE

Howard H. Lee became the proprietor of the Conrad store in Riverbank yesterday when he purchased from Mrs. Ofa Conrad her interest in the business.

Mrs. Conrad has conducted this place of business for several years but Beteli decided to retire from to engage in a different line.

Howard Lee is well known in this locality, being the son of Homer Lee of Washington.

During several years he has been engaged at the Mohr & Yoerk store in Sacramento and is thoroughly acquainted with the grocery business.

He will reside over the store premises with his family.

Mrs. Conrad will make her residence in Washington.

A Philadelphia judge from the bench a few days ago remarked: "Punishment is not vengeance, but prisoners should not be treated so well that they might want to return. Their punishment should act as a warning to others to do right and keep out of jail."

All of which is very true but evidently receives little attention from the State Prison Directors of California.

A State official repudiated a bill of $22 the other day which he owed a cigar merchant lost in a 26 game. He took advantage of the technicality but that lays him all the more liable, for if credit is good to any man, the official lost more than $22 in reputation.

REV. FATHER ELLIS WILL BE PASTOR IN CATHOLIC CHURCHES HERE

By appointment of Rt. Rev. Bishop Grace, Father John H. Ellis will take charge of the Catholic churches in Washington District, on and after the second Sunday in January.

The appointment was made a few days ago but until it becomes effective, the local church will be served by Rev. Fr. Horgan of Woodland and his assistant.

Bishop Grace has recognized the necessity of a regular pastor for this district and has commissioned Father Ellis to do the pioneer work in this particular.

To say that he is amply qualified to do the necessary work is placing it mildly, for Father Ellis has had considerable experience at the Cathedral Parish in Sacramento, as well as other towns throughout the State.

Speaking to The Independent, Father Ellis said the other day:

"The increasing population in Washington, Riverbank and West Sacramento demands the constant attention of a resident priest. On assuming charge of the parish it will be my purpose to say Mass every Sunday in Washington and every other Sunday in Riverbank or West Sacramento, alternately.

"Soon after assuming charge I am going to ask all the Catholics of the district to meet at some convenient point so that a home can be secured for a priest. Steps leading to this will no doubt be welcomed by those wishing to attend their duties regularly and keep in touch with their religion like true Catholics.

"A Sunday School will also be started at one central point or at the different churches."

Sacramento firemen will soon be enjoying the benefits of the two-platoon system.

They deserve it.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Ambrose Wilson Baker, sometimes known as and called A. W. Baker, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Winfred E. Baker, Administrator of the Estate of Ambrose Wilson Baker, sometimes known as and called A. W. Baker, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Yolo, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers to the said Administrator at the office of Chas. H. Crocker, 604 Eye Street, Sacramento, County of Sac-

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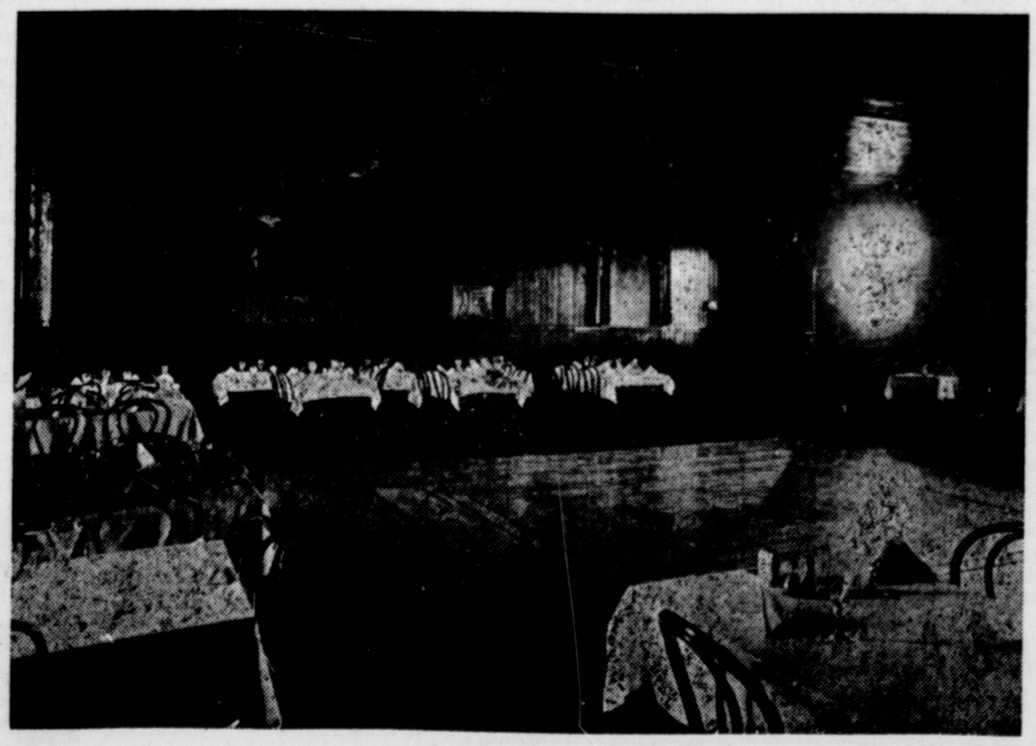
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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Publisher in jail for doing his job

You may have read about a Northern California newspaper editor who is now sitting in jail – essentially just for doing his job.

Tim Crews, an ardently crusading journalist who publishes the Sacramento Valley Mirror in Artois, is a friend of the *News-Ledger*. He was ordered to spend five days in jail for refusing to reveal two confidential sources who may have information that is pertinent to the trial of a local law enforcement officer.

This is an illustration of exactly why we have a "Shield Law" in California; we recognize that, in order to function, journalists must be able to talk to news subjects confidentially from time to time. And in order for these subjects to be willing to talk to journalists, they must have confidence that no court will force the journalist to make their identities public. Without this confidential relationship, newsgathering suffers – and your ability to keep tabs on your society and your government suffers.

Americans simply can't have a healthy democracy without a healthy news trade.

A Tehama County judge doesn't understand this. He prefers to jail Crews for standing fast by his sources and protecting his future ability to give his readers his best shot at the "truth" about their local government and community. To give in, knows Crews, would scare insiders from talking him in the future. It would cripple his ability to report on anything controversial. And it would be a blow to journalism in the state.

The law enforcement officer is accused of stealing a gun from his evidence department, and his attorney hopes to prove the statute of limitations on this crime has expired by getting Crews to help prove law enforcement personnel knew about it many years ago. Whether his need for Crews's information is valid, or just a legal trick, is arguable. But better than jailing the editor would have been to let the accused law enforcement officer walk free, even if he doesn't deserve it.

Crews will survive his five days in jail.

But will journalism in California come out the same? Will you get the same quality of news and investigative reporting?

Good job, planners.

The West Sacramento planning commission declined to weaken the city's design standards for all of Southport last Thursday, but left the door open to look for creative ways to allow builders to meet these standards while accommodating even very narrow residential lots.

To allow the requested change to the standards would have meant less desirable new neighborhoods. It was a good decision.

Letters to the Editor

Remembering Jose

(Editor's note: this remembrance was submitted in honor of Jose Rodriguez, a River City High School educator who died last week.)

Our Mr. Rodriguez was a kind and gentle man.

He loved his students and family.

He treated his students as if they were his own.

Everyone loved him and treated him with respect.

He always did what he felt was right.

He never treated anyone with disrespect.

He took time and effort to try and get to know every one of his students.

Didn't matter if they were from a foreign country or not.

He spent much time helping out all of his students no matter what they were up to.

He didn't like to see any of his "kids" in trouble.

Pending on how bad the situation was, he would be as kind as possible.

He wouldn't do like how a lot of other authority figures would do.

He actually was cool about everything.

And now that he has passed, some feel that a piece has left them also.

We are going to miss him out on the football field at home games, in the office takin' care of things, or just out for a stroll in the hallways just for the fun of it.

But most of all, we're going to miss his sweet, caring and warm smile, and his "congratulations" at graduation when the students are presented with their diplomas.

Mr. Rodriguez will be loved, cherished and greatly missed by all his family, students and staff.

JENNIFER L. WILLIAMS
TEARA D. MENDEZ
RCHS students.

Meeting to discuss WUSD

A public meeting, open to all interested persons, is scheduled for Wednesday, March 8th at the Turner library meeting room from 7-9 p.m. This meeting is not related in any way or supported by the Turner library.

The purpose of this meeting is to give the members of this community a forum at which we can unite and express our concerns about issues related to the quality of education in the Washington Unified School District. Some of the proposed items for discussion are ways to improve the way education is being delivered to our students, issues related to the leadership of WUSD, low test scores, discipline issues, and ways the community can make a difference. It is our hope that the concerns discussed at this meeting will be delivered to the WUSD Board of Education for their consideration and action.

If you are interested in the current state of education in the WUSD and want to express your concerns, opinions and ideas about how to improve the current dismal situation, please plan to attend this meeting. All of us, as members of this community, have an obligation to be advocates for our students. We can make a difference by making our voices heard.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact Ronna at 372-1219 or Sandy at 371-2458.

RONNA KEPHART
SANDY BLAZAK
West Sacramento

Pro-morality

Whether you have children, or grandchildren in high school or not, are you aware that these young impressionable minds are being forced to listen to literary vulgarity on a regular basis? Our children are being told, "listen or leave the classroom and stand outside if you don't like it." (From a book brought from the teachers home and is not approved reading) I thought our children were there to get an education and not to be forced to become door stops to evade a teachers immoral lifestyle. The day has come when we the parents are allowing our schools to produce a crop of perverse and immoral group of young citizens that we are going to harvest into our already pervasive society.

One teacher has said they just didn't know what to do when it was discovered there were no clean books available in the library to be given for alternative reading. Parents, this is outrageous that we the parents have lost control of what we are allowing our children to be taught.

One teacher allowed the children to rule the class and let them play songs of vulgarity on the radio while they were suppose to be learning a subject of a different nature, so we've been led to believe.

If you as a parent follows the chain of command in our school district, you'll find you'll be labeled as a "religious freak", no matter what your beliefs may be. Even a child who objects will be isolated and ridiculed publicly by school staff and students.

Yes, even our school hallways, the quad and other isolated, unsupervised areas of the school campuses is being tolerated to be breeding grounds to the spread of homosexuality, cults, filthy language and sexual harassment.

There have been small groups of concerned parents who have tried to change these obstructions to the health and welfare of our children for years, but we need more morally integral parents to fight this school system that has grown out of control.

GENE GARDNER
West Sacramento

Vote for Bradley

We are writing to encourage our friends and fellow citizens to consider casting a ballot for Senator Bill Bradley for president on March 7th. We believe that his personal character, legislative record, and vision for the future of our country make him an outstanding choice.

Bill Bradley's honesty and integrity have set him apart from other candidates. His ability to facilitate cooperation and compromise across party lines has demonstrated vital leadership qualities. Bradley consistently takes the lead in tackling campaign reform, accessible healthcare and gun control. Bradley's straightforward, courageous approach to these and many other issues has renewed our faith in the democratic process.

Please join us in voting for Bill Bradley for president.

ALAN & NANCY CANDEE
West Sacramento

Improve Vet treatment

If it were not for the American Veteran we would not know the great way of life we have today, we are not taking care of our veterans as we should. I know of two veterans who gave 25 years of their life to protecting our freedoms. A stroke has be fallen
them, and because they make approximately $16,000 a year, they are not eligible for care by a veterans facility. The families are paying $300 a day for care of these veterans.

We brag about having a multi-million dollar surplus, yet we don't take care of our own. A veteran should not have to pay for care or prescriptions. We owe these men and women, who have served our country an immense thank you and care.

It seems that we are too busy handing out monies and services to recently arrive immigrants, who have not earned that right. We owe our service men, but we owe the recently arrived immigrants nothing. Let them go out and earn their way as it used to be.

A hearty thank you to all veterans for serving the country, now let's treat them with the respect and care due them.

CHARLES L. KING
West Sacramento

Children's Summit a success

This year's Children's Summit drew over 175 participants from all areas of Yolo County. In the morning workshop, participants learned how to develop common language, to distinguish between the means to get something done and the ends (or results) we truly want, and finally how to effectively measure those results. The afternoon provided an opportunity for participants to actually practice this new technique with Yolo County information. Various groups worked on addressing issues surrounding children at-risk of foster care placement, improving reading scores in second and third graders, reducing the number of low birth weight infants, and assuring adequate prenatal care. These initial works will provide building blocks for ongoing dialogue with public and private groups to improve the lives of children and families in Yolo County.

Our Yolo County community generously provided financial support either directly or through the donation of goods and services. We wish to thank: County of Yolo-Department of Employment and Social Services, the City of Davis, Success by Six/United Way, City of Woodland, Woodland Community College, Winters Joint Unified School District, Washington Unified School District, Yolo County Human Services Leadership Team, Learning Designs, Yolo County Superior Court, Mary Ellen Baldwin, Mariko Yamada, Yolo County Criminal Justice Cabinet, Noah's, Starbucks "F" Street, and Bruegger's Bagels.

This year's Summit could not have been possible without the commitment of time and energy from our planning and volunteer partners. We would like to publicly thank the following persons for their willingness to become engaged in the process with us: Angela Angel, Mary Ellen Baldwin, Mary Jo Bryan, Debbie Carrion, Pola Castaneda, Suzanne Falzone, Anne Harrison, Bette Hinton, Don Ishikawa, Ellen Jaime, Donna Lott, Marilyn Mitchell, Joan Parnas, Monica Pascoe, Dan Rice, Meg Sheldon, and Mariko Yamada.

At next year's Summit we hope to demonstrate effective results stemming from the work done this year and to continue to bring our communities together to address critical issues facing Yolo County's children and families.

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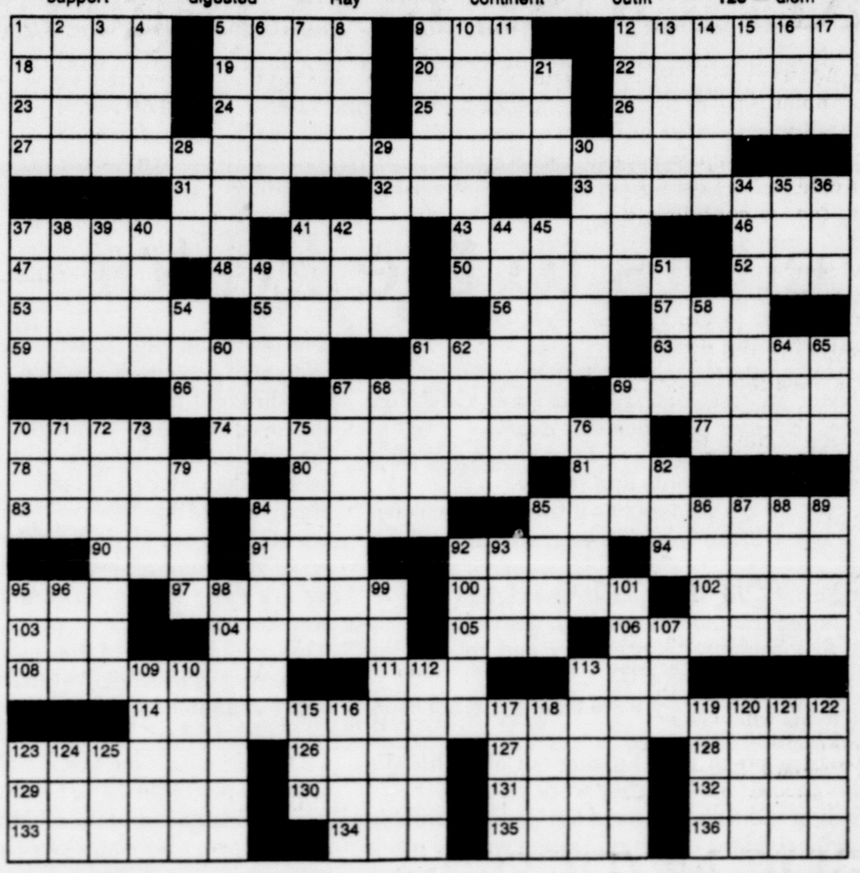
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50 Govt. notes
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63 Christine of "Housekeeping"
66 Actor Brynner
67 Penny —
69 Seoul man?
70 Grass' "The Tin —"
74 Part 3 of remark
77 Philanthropist Cornell
78 Creche figure
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81 Tear
83 Brawl
84 Made like Mata Hari
85 Chicken feed
90 Doctrine
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92 Cry of regret
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95 Rocker Morrison
97 — piece
100 Easily digested
102 See 75 Down
103 Skater Midori
104 — Carlo
105 "— been had!"
106 Like Mister Ed?
108 Neanderthals
111 Remind one's spouse?
113 Part of a crane
114 End of remark
123 Candles
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127 Monthly expense
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129 Go to extremes
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49 Novelist Cather
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61 Put on
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64 Coal by-product
65 Claire or Balin
67 Fuzzy fruit
68 Govern
69 Mend, as a bone
70 Record players?
71 Caviar
72 See 14 Down
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76 From Cork
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84 Island outfit
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98 "The Sage of Concord"
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101 Prickly plant
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109 Film critic Roger
110 — Gras
112 Bridal path?
113 Doctor Salk
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117 Metric weight
118 Neighbor of Brazil
119 Lean
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122 Stack role
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VANDALS from page one

place them right away. I sure wish I could find the idiots who did this and really tell them what I think of them."

Also taken from a utility closet in the gymnasium was a $400 electric floor blower used to clean off the wrestling mat, a number of fire extinguishers valued at more than $200, and various stereo and electrical equipment which will also take hundreds of dollars to replace.

"It looks like they used crowbars to get into the gym and the utility closet," said River City physical education teacher Clint Brill, "and it seems like they knew exactly what they wanted. The fact that they left behind a CD player that didn't work tells me that they probably had prior knowledge about what was worth stealing in the gymnasium. They even took the big mirror in the girls' bathroom."

River City High School Principal Mort Geivett pointed out that, "Most school districts have high deductibles when it comes to vandalism and when something like this happens, it's the school district that ends up paying for most of the damages, not the insurance company. Although I haven't seen the final dollar numbers yet, it's going to be significant. Plus the vandals also took liquid soap out of the bathrooms and poured it all over the gymnasium floor, which took quite awhile to clean up and forced the cancellation of some City of West Sacramento sponsored youth basketball games that were scheduled for that weekend."

Geivett also added that he is looking into ways of raising funds that can be used as a reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the vandals. "I would also like to encourage anyone who might know anything at all about who might have done this to please contact River City High School or the West Sacramento Police Department," said Geivett. "You can remain anonymous if you like and your help would be greatly appreciated. The gymnasium is a community asset which is used by any number of local organizations and all of us need to do whatever we can to make sure something like this doesn't happen again."

FIREHOUSE from page one

to be a natural for the old firehouse: an antique fire truck.

Gloria Downey, who with partner Paula Velasquez hopes to open a café on the floor above, said she, too, is confident her proposal is sound.

Redevelopment staff is skeptical that revenue projections for her café are realistic, citing low traffic counts in the firehouse's Broderick neighborhood. They also question whether Downey and Velasquez have the necessary experience for such a venture.

"We feel we've got the experience we need," Downey told the *News-Ledger*. "My partner was a manager for a La Bou (café), and we both have a lot of business background. We both worked for Proctor and Gamble for ten years, and while that isn't in the same type of business, it is good business experience."

She also defended their projections of customers and revenue at the site.

"We're very comfortable with the projections," Downey stated. "A lot of work went into them. We actually went out there for three or four weeks beginning at 3:30 in the morning until 4 in the afternoon and counted drive-by traffic. We did the same thing for Sal's (restaurant) and La Bou, and then used percentages of the traffic (to estimate potential customers)."

One suggestion for helping the venture succeed, said Robinson's report, would be for the café and museum to share both floors of the firehouse, since putting the café on the upper floor might harm its viability.

"We are willing to do that," said Downey. We're not set on the second floor. That was our choice only because of the view out the window."

She added that the city staff's recommendation of entering an 18-month negotiating period seemed "pretty reasonable."

The firehouse, slated for destruction, was preserved after efforts by the historical society and other fans of the 1940-era building.

The item will be considered at tonight's 7 p.m. city council meeting at 1350 Halyard Dr.

This week in local government

The West Sacramento City Council will meet in open session at 7 p.m. at 1350 Halyard Dr.

Agenda items will include:

A proclamation designating March as Women's History Month.

A presentation by the Fish and Wildlife Dept. on the proposed North Delta National Wildlife Refuge.

Public Hearing on an ordinance amending the zoning ordinance for interim commercial parking lots.

Consideration of continuing the public hearing for the redevelopment agency's five year plan.

Consideration of plans and specifications for a bid solicitation on the wastewater treatment plant interim improvements project.

Consideration of acceptance of the Sacramento River approach and overhead (C St.) approach earthquake retrofit project.

Consideration of acceptance of the Bryte Bend water treatment plant clearwell addition.

Consideration of a resolution initiating annual proceedings under the Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972.

Consideration of a resolution initiating annual proceedings under the storm drain maintenance act of 1937 (Raley's Landing).

Consideration of compensation package for members of the confidential unit.

Informational report on long-term anchorage enforcement strategy regarding boats on city waterways.

Presentation on staff recommendations regarding the Washington Firehouse request for proposals.

Police log

Feb. 26, 5:40 a.m.

An officer was dispatched to a physical fight between a man and woman at an Evergreen address. The man refused to open the door and the officer kicked it in. He saw visible injuries to the woman's face, neck and legs, and arrested the man after finding him hiding in a closet.

Feb. 27, 1:45 a.m.

A Maple St. man was contacted in a suspicious vehicle. He admitted being on searchable probation, and an officer found methamphetamines in the man's duffle bag. The man was arrested.

Feb. 27, 11:30 a.m.

An officer responded to a supermarket where security guards had a man in custody for shoplifting. A search revealed two syringes and two suspected marijuana cigarettes in his possession. He was booked, cited and released.

Feb. 27, 2:30 p.m.

A Hobson Ave. man reported the theft of his front license plate.

Feb. 27, 2:33 p.m.

A man on South River Rd. reported the theft of his pickup truck.

Feb. 27, 5:42 p.m.

On California St., a vehicle struck a small child, causing minor injuries. The driver fled on foot. The vehicle's owner lived nearby, but was not home when an officer visited. About 90 minutes later, someone representing the car's owner (who did not speak English) called police to report the vehicle had been stolen.

Feb. 27, 4:55 a.m.

An officer responded to a Bryte apartment after a 911 call and hangup. The 21-year old man who answered the door said there was nothing wrong, but the officer contacted the woman inside, who reported the man had slapped her in the face twice and disconnected the phone when she called police.

(No dates available from police records):

7 a.m.

A car was reported stolen from Bridge Pl. Inside it were a computer, purse and cell phone.

10:22 a.m.

An officer clocked a man driving 78 m.p.h. on West Capitol Ave. near Walnut, and stopped him. 27.5 grams of marijuana, along with packing material, were found in the vehicle. The vehicle was towed and the man was arrested.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 11, 2000
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The following person is doing business as Gearhead Records, 610 22nd St. #302, San Francisco, CA 94107:

Michelle Ann Haunold, 4315 Ashland Terrace Apt. A, Davis, CA 95616; Michael J. Lavella, 1916 Everett St., Alameda, CA 94501.

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/s/Michelle Ann Haunold

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
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by: /s/Josie Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Feb 23, 2000
File No. 2000-151

The following person is doing business as M² Media, 27187 E. El Macero Drive, El Macero, CA 95618:

Julie Maxwell, 27187 E. El Macero Dr., El Macero, CA 95618.

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/s/Julie Maxwell

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on March 15, 2000 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held at city hall, 1350 Halyard Dr., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 373-5800. Notification 72 hours prior to this meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City Hall is handicapped accessible.

Resolution 00-17 establishing a Preferential Permit Parking Program (city code 10.44) for the Washington Neighborhood area. The proposed boundaries are 2nd Street, 8th Street, Union Pacific Railroad line and West Capitol Avenue. Proposed cost to residents are: $5.00 Application Fee, $5.00 Permit Renewal Fee and $10.00 Replacement Sticker/Placard Fee.

Bulgakov Variance: the applicant is appealing a decision of the Planning Commission denying his requested variance to allow an existing storage shed that is located three feet from the house at 308 6th Street, West Sacramento, CA. The property is zoned R-2.

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2. NOTICE OF HEARING
MARCH 16, 2000

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider the following matters on Thursday, March 16, 2000, at West Sacramento City Hall, 1350 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, California, at the times as specified or as soon thereafter as the matters may be heard:

6:00 p.m.
Item #1
Zoning Administrator Actions
ZA 99-23 DMV Testing Facility Use Permit Extension (JS)
Item #2
Public Workshop on Proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendments

A public workshop on potential zone code amendments regarding 1) increasing the amount of outdoor storage in residential zones, 2) changing the amount of paving for recreational vehicles in residential zones, 3) increasing the front setback in the Agricultural (A-1) zone from 30 to 90 feet, 4) establishing a new provision allowing for off-site subdivision kiosk signs, and 5) redefining the circumstances and replacement value under which rehabilitation of a non-conforming structure can take place. (RVB)

Item #3
Public Hearing on the West Sacramento General Plan

A public hearing on the West Sacramento General Plan update will be held on March 16th, 2000 at City Hall, 1350 Halyard at 6:00 P.M. The purpose of the meeting is to receive testimony on the draft General Plan Policy Document, Background Report and Supplemental Environmental Impact Report (SEIR). The General Plan update has been underway for the last year with workshops and hearings on the "staff report" of the proposed document. This update involves a comprehensive review of the Background Report and Policy Document adopted by the City in 1990. While there have been several issue specific amendments to the General Plan in the last decade, this is the first overall review of the entire document.

Most of the revisions to the two documents are minor in nature. The Background Report has been substantially updated with the most current information on land use, population, traffic, public facilities, and health and safety issues. The Background Report document is the information base on which policy decisions are made.

The General Plan Policy Document has been updated to recognize those programs from the 1990 General Plan Policy Document, which have been completed. Much progress has been made in achieving the Goals and Policies since 1990.

In addition to the updating of Policies and Programs, several key policy questions have been identified through the workshop and preliminary hearing process. These questions include: the future of the proposed Enterprise and Sutterville bridges, whether or not limited interim industrial development should be allowed in the Triangle (the area between the Tower Bridge and U.S. 50), the ultimate size of the City, and the desired standard level of service for intersections. (SR)

All affected parties should appear and explain to the Commission the effect that the proposed projects will have on their property and to state any other relevant information. If you challenge any of the noticed items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of West Sacramento at, or prior to, the public hearing.

/s/Stephen M. Patek, Director
Community Development Department

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Obituaries

Josephine DeAnda

Josephine DeAnda died in Sacramento at the age of 91 on February 27, 2000. She was the beloved wife of the late Martin DeAnda and the loving mother of Raul, Felix, Frank, Josie & Martin E. DeAnda, Julia Runyan, Yolanda Sturges, & John and Daniel DeAnda. She was also the devoted grandmother of 26 and the great grandmother of 44, and the dear mother-in-law of Margaret, Darlene, Bob, Theresa, Jack, Pam & Debbie.

Mrs. DeAnda was preceded in death by one son, Ray DeAnda, and one sister, Teresa Gomez. This loving mother dedicated her entire life to her family. She was a native of Mexico and a 67 year resident of West Sacramento.

Friends are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial to be offered for the Repose of her Soul on Thursday, March 2, 2000 at 10:00 a.m. in Our Lady of Grace Church, 911 Park Boulevard, West Sacramento. Recitation of the Rosary will he held Wednesday Eve, at 7:00 p.m., also in the church. Friends may visit in the funeral home chapel on Wednesday, from noon to 5 p.m. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to Our Lady of Grace School, or the American Heart Association.

Lois J. Moore

Lois Moore died at the age of 73 at home in West Sacramento on February 22, 2000. She was the beloved wife of the late Jack L. Moore, the loving mother of Raymond Moore of Temple City, California and Cynthia (husband John) Newlin of Aptos, California, and the dear sister of Ronald & Robert Ackerman and Betty Kitchens. She was also the devoted grandmother of four and the great grandmother of one.

Lois was a native of Portland, Oregon and a 47-year resident of West Sacramento. Funeral services were held on Thursday, February 24th at the River Cities Funeral Chapel. Entombment was at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to the American Heart Association, or the U.C. Davis Hospice Program.

Gertrude "Gertie" Lorda

A Rosary will be recited for Gertrude Lorda on Friday, March 3, 2000, at South East Lawn Memorial Park, 9189 E. Stockton Blvd. in Elk Grove. On March 4 at 11 a.m., a Mass will be celebrated at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 9539 Racquet Ct., Elk Grove.

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Local Scene

"Annie"

Golden State Middle School students will perform the stage play "Annie" at the Yolo High School auditorium, 920 Westacre Rd., on Friday, March 3 and Sat. March 4 and Fri. & Sat. March 10-11 at 7 p.m. There will also be a 2 p.m. matinee performance March 11. Ticket prices are $3-$5 for adults and $1-$3 for students up to age 18. Call Robin Alander, 360-1334 and leave a message regarding ticket purchase. For additional information, call Duane Anderson, 375-7757.

Riske Ln. closure

Riske Ln. between Delta Ln. and South River Rd. will be closed on Thurs., Feb. 24, for a three-week period to aid in constructing the adjacent stadium. Detours will be posted. For information, call 373-5854.

Master gardener

The East Yolo Friends of the Library will host UC Davis master gardener Bob Gredvig for a presentation and question-and-answer session at 7 p.m. on Wed., March 15, at the library at 1212 Merkley Ave. His talk will include vegetable gardens, composting, vermiculture and more. Refreshments will be served. Free.

Lenten Worship

All are invited to attend Lenten worship services at Community Lutheran Church (Drever & Jackson, behind Rick's Chevron), beginning with Ash Wednesday worship at 7 p.m. on March 8. Informal midweek services will be held from 1-1:30 p.m. on March 15, 22, 29 and April 5 & 12. Call 371-8804 for information.

Red Cross

In honor of "Red Cross Month" in March, a community "family day" of CPR instruction will be held 8:30 to 3:30 on March 4 in Woodland. In addition, CPR Saturday will be held March 11 in Davis, a Red Cross Pet Fair will be held at the Davis Farmers Market March 11, a second CPR Saturday will be held March 18 in Woodland, and a pet first aid seminar will be held 10 a.m. March 18. Call (530) 662-4669 for more information on any of these programs.

ADD

Southport Elementary School is hosting a parental support group for parents of children with attention deficit disorders. The meeting will be Wed., March 1, from 7 to 8 p.m. at Southport Elementary School on Linden Rd. You do not have to have a child at the school to attend. Questions? Call Diane Smith, Principal, 375-7890.

Census

The Yolo Co. Board of Supervisors is forming a "Complete Count Committee" to help spread the message that completing a census questionnaire is important. To participate, contact Patty Crettenden, Clerk of the Board, (530) 666-8196.

City College

Sacramento City College is offering a number of classes geared to the business owner. They include a class on "essential records for the small business," beginning March 6; "management skills for the small business," beginning March 27; "retailing and merchandising for the small business," beginning March 21; and "the business plan," starting April 24. Each class meets six times at the West Sacramento Center and costs $11. Call 375-5511 for information on these and other classes.

Swimmers schedule

Registration will be March 4, March 11 and March 18 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Whitey's Jolly Kone, for prospective West Sacramento Dolphins youth swimmers. Registration fee is $5 with participation fees of $55 for the first child in the family, $45 for the second and $25 for the third.

History of Trucks

A Woodland Community College class on the history of Trucks begins March 7 at the Hays Antique Truck Museum, Tuesday evenings from 6-9 p.m. The course is listed in the college catalog as AG247B. Enrollment can be made at the first class meeting at 5:30 p.m.

Census jobs

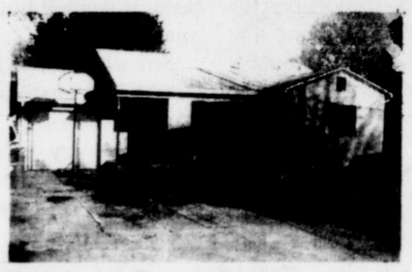
The census offers temporary federal jobs paying $8.25-$11 per hour. Call 888-325-7733 for information.

Crab feed

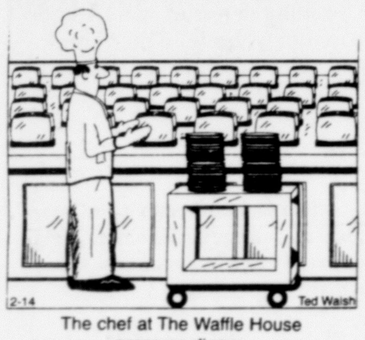
VFW Post 8762 is scheduling a crab feed for Sat., March 11, with details to be announced. Cost is $25 and time is 6 p.m. For information, call 371-7245.

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Obituaries

Josephine DeAnda

Josephine DeAnda died in Sacramento at the age of 91 on February 27, 2000. She was the beloved wife of the late Martin DeAnda and the loving mother of Raul, Felix, Frank, Josie & Martin E. DeAnda, Julia Runyan, Yolanda Sturges, & John and Daniel DeAnda. She was also the devoted grandmother of 26 and the great grandmother of 44, and the dear mother-in-law of Margaret, Darlene, Bob, Theresa, Jack, Pam & Debbie.

Mrs. DeAnda was preceded in death by one son, Ray DeAnda, and one sister, Teresa Gomez. This loving mother dedicated her life to her family. She was a native of Mexico and a 67 year resident of West Sacramento.

Friends are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial to be offered for the Repose of her Soul on Thursday, March 2, 2000 at 10:00 a.m. in Our Lady of Grace Church, 911 Park Boulevard, West Sacramento. Recitation of the Rosary will he held Wednesday Eve, at 7:00 p.m., also in the church. Friends may visit in the funeral home chapel on Wednesday, from noon to 5 p.m. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to Our Lady of Grace School, or the American Heart Association.

Lois J. Moore

Lois Moore died at the age of 73 at home in West Sacramento on February 22, 2000. She was the beloved wife of the late Jack L. Moore, the loving mother of Raymond Moore of Temple City, California and Cynthia (husband John) Newlin of Aptos, California, and the dear sister of Ronald & Robert Ackerman and Betty Kitchens. She was also the devoted grandmother of four and the great grandmother of one.

Lois was a native of Portland, Oregon and a 47-year resident of West Sacramento. Funeral services were held on Thursday, February 24th at the River Cities Funeral Chapel. Entombment was at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to the American Heart Association, or the U.C. Davis Hospice Program.

Gertrude "Gertie" Lorda

A Rosary will be recited for Gertrude Lorda on Friday, March 3, 2000, at South East Lawn Memorial Park, 9189 E. Stockton Blvd. in Elk Grove. On March 4 at 11 a.m., a Mass will be celebrated at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 9539 Racquet Ct., Elk Grove.

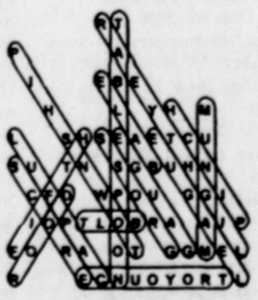
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Answers to Sports Quiz & Puzzles

Answers:

1. Carlos Lee of the Chicago White Sox did it on May 7, 1999; 2. False. Henderson won the award in 1990 while playing for the Oakland Athletics; 3. The Dallas Cowboys have been in 53 playoff games; 4. Bill Walton (1972-74) and Ralph Sampson (1981-83); 5. Boston University, with 24; 6. Oliver McCall. Lewis won it back from McCall in 1997; 7. Kathy Whitworth, with 88 tournament victories.

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Differences: 1. Tie is different. 2. Hat is shorter. 3. Button is added. 4. Veil is shorter. 5. Sleeve is shorter. 6. Pocket is added.

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